



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Phelps , Nebraska [31137]**

Phelps is one of 93 counties in Nebraska. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 9,733 ranked 30th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Phelps had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$26,887. This PCPI ranked 8th in the state and was 97 percent of the state average, \$27,626, and 90 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected a decrease of 3.7 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 4.4 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Phelps was \$20,506 and ranked 7th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Phelps had a total personal income (TPI) of \$261,694\*. This TPI ranked 25th in the state and accounted for 0.6 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Phelps was \$198,931\* and ranked 26th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected a decrease of 3.9 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 4.9 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 2.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.2 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Phelps. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 61.2 percent of TPI (compared with 66.3 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 22.5 percent (compared with 22.2 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 16.3 percent (compared with 11.5 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings decreased 9.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 8.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.0 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 2.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.4 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Phelps decreased from \$201,681\* in 1999 to \$184,826\* in 2000, a decrease of 8.4 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 3.8 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$152,778\* to the 2000 estimate was 1.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.1 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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